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Amendments to the specification:

On page 35, last three lines to page 36, line 10, please amend the paragraph as follows:

As shown in Fig. 10(b), the video unit info() is made up of (i) VU flags for indicating various kinds of attribution information about a predetermined VU; (ii) VU PTS for storing a PTS (Presentation Time Stamp) of a top display frame of a predetermined VU; and (iii) VU PN for indicating relative pack numbers counted from a top of the file. The VU PTS and the VU PN make it possible to specify a position of a VU corresponding to a specific PTS. Namely, the VU PTS indicates reproduction start time of the original stream (AV data), and the VU PN indicates position information of a first continuous region for recording the CA and the CU, in other words, the VU PN indicates head position information of the CA.

On page 36, last four lines to page 37, line 5, please amend the paragraph as follows:

As shown in Fig. 12(b), the continuous area info() is made up of (i) CA flags for indicating various kinds of attribution information about a predetermined CA; (ii) CA PTS for storing a PTS (Presentation Time Stamp) of a top display frame of a CU corresponding to the CA; and (iii) CA PN for indicating relative pack numbers counted from a top of the file. The CA PTS and the CA PN make it possible to specify a position of a CA corresponding to a specific PTS in the original stream. The CA PN indicates position information of a first continuous region for recording the CA and the CU, in other words, the CA PN indicates head position information of the CA.